BEFORE THE IOWA BOARD OF PHARMACY

RE: Application for Pharmacist License of	LICENSE BY CONSENT AGREEMENT
CHRISTOPHER SONNENSCHEIN Applicant	

COME NOW the Iowa Board of Pharmacy ("Board") and Christopher Sonnenschein ("Applicant"), 904 W Glen Eagle St, Sioux Falls SD 57108, and enter into this License by Consent Agreement, pursuant to Iowa Code sections 17A.10 and 17A.18 (2020). The Board has jurisdiction over Applicant and the subject matter of this case pursuant to Iowa Code chapters 17A, 147, 155A, and 272C, and 657 IAC chapters 2 and 36.

A. LEGAL GROUNDS

1. The Board has the authority to deny a pharmacist license if the applicant has been subject to disciplinary action in another state. See Iowa Code § 155A.12(10) and 657 IAC 36.6(30).

B. FACTUAL CIRCUMSTANCES

- 2. On April 29, 2020, the Board received a pharmacist license application from Applicant.
- 3. Applicant disclosed that his pharmacist license had been subject to disciplinary action by the South Dakota State Board of Pharmacy.
- 4. On May 18, 2020, the South Dakota State Board of Pharmacy approved a Consent Order that placed Applicant's South Dakota pharmacist license on probation for four years and requires Applicant to participate in South Dakota's Health Professional Assistance Program.

C. LICENSE BY CONSENT

- 5. Applicant admits the allegations in the Factual Circumstances and acknowledges that the allegations, if proven in a contested case hearing concerning registration denial, would constitute grounds for the adverse action agreed to in this Agreement.
- 6. Execution of this Agreement constitutes the resolution of a contested case. Applicant has a right to hearing before the Board on the grounds for registration denial, but Applicant waives the right to hearing and all attendant rights, including the right to appeal or seek judicial review of the Board's action, by freely and voluntarily entering into this Agreement. Once entered, this Agreement shall have the force and effect of a Board Order entered following a contested case hearing concerning registration denial.

- 7. Applicant acknowledges that he has the right to be represented by counsel on this matter.
- 8. This Agreement is subject to approval by a majority of the full Board. If the Board does not approve this Agreement, it shall be of no force or effect to either party, and shall not be admissible for any purpose in further proceedings in this matter. If the Board approves this Agreement, it shall be the full and final resolution of this matter.
- 9. This Agreement shall be part of Applicant's permanent record and shall be considered by the Board in determining the nature and severity of any disciplinary action to be imposed in the event of any future violations.
- 10. Applicant understands that this Agreement constitutes adverse action and that the Board is required by federal law to report any adverse action to the National Practitioner Data Bank.
- 11. This Agreement, when fully executed, is a public record and is available for inspection and copying in accordance with the requirements of lowa Code chapters 22 and 272C.
 - 12. The Board's approval of this Agreement shall constitute a **FINAL ORDER** of the Board.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- 13. Applicant must self-report and sign an initial agreement with the Iowa Monitoring Program for Pharmacy Professionals (IMP3). Upon execution of an initial agreement, Applicant shall be issued an Iowa pharmacist license.
- 14. Applicant shall participate in the IMP3. Applicant's failure to comply with the requirements of the IMP3 shall be considered a violation of this Agreement.
- 15. Should Applicant violate the terms of this Agreement, the Board may initiate action to impose licensee discipline as authorized by Iowa Code chapters 147, 155A, and 272C and 657 IAC chapter 36.

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Date	CHRISTOPHER SONNENSCHEIN Applicant	

This License by Consent Agreement is approved by the Iowa Board of Pharmacy on November 17, 2020.

Chairperson

Iowa Board of Pharmacy